

WITHDRAW TROOPS
OR FACE A RUMPUSBRITAIN'S INVASION OF THE
TRANSVAAL CONDEMNED.

Emperor Williams Promises Support to the Boers—Conflict Likely to Take Place Today—Dr. Jameson's Action Generally Condemned—England Offers to Arbitrate Too Late.

Berlin, Jan. 2.—Emperor William has promised his moral support to the Boers, and has indicated that he may take other measures if Great Britain persists in her present course.

A cable dispatch received here from Pretoria says that a rising has occurred at Johannesburg. It is added that 300 more armed men belonging to the British chartered company have crossed the frontier and that President Kruger is determined to repel the freebooters by force of arms. A conflict between the Boers and Englishmen is expected today.

The news of the invasion of the Transvaal republic by an armed Brit-

while being denied representation liable to give particular offense to many, whose friendship at this critical stage the marquis of Salisbury is anxious to cultivate.

As the telegraph wires are believed to have been cut behind Dr. Jameson's force, and as the Boer forces, all armed and equipped, have been utilized under General Joubert, new and bloody conflict is expected. The Boers can put in the field about 6,000 fighting men, supported with guns, and to oppose this force Dr. Jameson has only 700 men, with strong guns, who may receive the direct assistance of about 4,000 untrained and badly armed Englishmen.

However, Jameson may be able to call to his support 1,000 men belonging to the De Beers company, who have headquarters at Kimberley. These men are well equipped and would prove an effective reinforcement for Dr. Jameson. But the latter may meet the Boers and the issue be decided before any re-enforcements can reach him.

Great Britain, through her colonial secretary, has offered to arbitrate the matter, but it is feared that the offer has come too late, and that serious consequences are to be apprehended.

LATE CUBAN NEWS.

Revolutionary Movement Confined to Skirmishes.

Havana, Jan. 2.—The news received here from the front is to confirm previous deductions regarding the movements of the insurgents. It is admitted once more that the Cubans are again marching toward and with the intention, apparently, of pushing the road leading to Guanajay and well westward to Matanzas. The town of Alfonso XIII. lies slightly southward and a little to the west of Cabezas, the most westerly point reached by the insurgents, and they are reported to have burned the railroad station a day or so ago. A war has evidently settled down to conditions such as existed before the transfer from the eastern provinces. Matanzas and Santa Clara. There is but little likelihood of a big battle in the near future, although the two armies are on the march in a comparatively small area. Not a day passes but reports come in of battles between the insurgents' cavalry and Spanish infantry.

Democratic Convention. London, Jan. 2.—P. Sheerin, secretary of the Democratic National Convention, has received and placed on file resolutions of five cities which aspire to become the Democratic national convention. They are Chicago, New York, St. Louis, San Francisco and Cincinnati. Mr. Sheerin has been variously reported of late as being strongly in favor of either Chicago or Cincinnati, on account of their proximity to Indiana and the Illinois boom. Mr. Sheerin denies that he had ever expressed such an opinion and declared that he would express preference until he met with the other members of the committee for the purpose of fixing the time and place for holding the convention.

Develop Virginia Gold Mines. Baltimore, Md., Jan. 2.—A private dispatch states that N. K. Fairbank, the millinery and refiner of Chicago; E. K. Ward and T. D. Hooper, bankers of New York; General T. M. Logan of Richmond, Va., and others have organized the Richmond the Piedmont Gold Belted Company, with a capital stock of \$2,000,000, for the purpose of developing on a very extensive scale the gold-mining properties covering about a thousand acres in Buckingham County, Va. Investigation of experts analyses of the ores, it is claimed, shows that the average of these ores give much better percentage of gold than the South Africa or the Cripple Creek districts.

Two Children Burned to Death. Alliance, O., Jan. 2.—A horrible fatality occurred at Palmyra, a mining village ten miles north of this city, Tuesday evening. Mrs. Thomas R. Bebb, after putting her two boys, aged 4 and 2 years, to bed, went to a neighbor's, a short distance away, on an errand. During her absence the house caught fire and the building was consumed. An attempt was made to reach the room in which the children were sleeping, but they perished. The mother, crazed by the sight, attempted to force her way into the building, and her clothing caught fire. She was rescued, but it is feared she may become insane.

Funeral of Dr. Taylor. Clinton, Ill., Jan. 2.—The funeral of the Hon. W. H. Taylor, who was shot and killed by Postmaster John H. Pace of Weldon last Saturday night, occurred from the Presbyterian church in this city yesterday. The attendance was from all the surrounding country. The Grand Army and Modern Woodmen officiated. The other civic societies of which Dr. Taylor was a member also attended. Congressman Warner and Representatives Busse, Lowenthal and Kilcrease and others were present to pay parting respects to their esteemed comrade in the legislature.

A Youthful Murderer. Sioux City, Iowa, Jan. 2.—Fred Whitten, yesterday shot and instantly killed Harry Bloomington. Whitten is 13 and Bloomington is 17 years old. Bloomington refused to give Whitten a chew of tobacco, whereupon the latter shot him.

BOND ISSUE COMING
AND VERY SOON TOOSILVER MEN CONTROL SENATE
FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Will Refuse Gold Bonds—Expected to Substitute Free Coinage For the House Measure—President Cleveland Ready to Issue Bonds If Nothing Can Be Done.

Washington, Jan. 2.—Senator Morrill, chairman of the committee on finance, is in earnest about the bond matter. He induced the Senate to reconsider its purpose to adjourn, and has called a meeting of the finance committee for today. Had the Senate passed a resolution for adjournment until Monday, and such resolution had received the concurrence of the House, there is the best authority for stating that on Monday next a communication would have been sent to Congress by the President informing that body of his purpose to immediately issue at least \$100,000,000 4 per cent bonds. It is very probable that Messrs. Morrill, Sherman, and other leading Senators were made acquainted with this purpose on the part of the President, and that the determination to make a protracted adjournment was in consequence reconsidered, and a meeting of the finance committee called for today.

It is the expectation of Chairman Morrill that his committee will today pass upon the bond bill in some form. If the committee decides to adopt the House bill, or something similar, it is very probable the contemplated issue of 4 per cent bonds will be postponed until the Senate has had a chance to act upon the bill reported, unless the gold fund should suffer diminution to an extent demanding immediate action on the part of the President. But if the committee should reject the House bill and substitute a free-coinage bill, a call for bonds may be confidently looked for on Monday.

There is no expectation that the finance committee will act affirmatively upon the bill. Of its thirteen members eight are pronounced and uncompromising free-coinage advocates, and these gentlemen are determined to resist the issue of bonds. They may not decide to finally dispose of the bond question at today's meeting, preferring to delay action until a later day, but failure of the committee to act definitely will not change the purpose of the President to issue bonds immediately upon learning that nothing can be hoped for from the Senate in the direction of remedial legislation.

IOWA LEGISLATURE.

Important Matters to Be Acted Upon at the Coming Session.

Des Moines, Iowa, Jan. 2.—Iowa's XXVth general assembly will convene in this city Jan. 13 at noon. A temporary organization will be effected and an adjournment taken until Tuesday. The Republican members of the house will meet in caucus Monday evening to determine upon permanent officers. There are seventy-nine Republican members and twenty-one Democratic members of the house. The Democrats will not hold a caucus. It is believed among politicians that W. H. Byers will be the speaker. More interest centers in what the assembly will do than in its organization. The code commission is eager that the assembly shall appoint a joint commission to consider its report on codifying the laws of the state before it does any other thing. Later, important railroad, insurance, banking, building and loan and temperance legislation will come forward.

Coast Steamer Ashore.

Holyhead, Jan. 2.—The Cunard line steamer Cephalonia, Captain Seccombe, from Boston Dec. 21 for Liverpool, ran ashore on a reef near South Stack in a dense fog, but she was subsequently floated and steamed here. The Cephalonia had a rough passage. Everything went well, however, until 7:20 o'clock yesterday morning, when she ran ashore. The passengers rushed on deck in alarm, the boats were lowered immediately, and all the women and children were placed in them. When the women and children had been cared for, the other passengers were allowed to enter the boats.

Want a Pan-American Congress.

City of Mexico, Jan. 2.—Monitor Republicano, a liberal newspaper, strongly advocates calling a Pan-American congress to ratify the Monroe doctrine. It says: "European countries form alliances to prevent the partition of European territory. America has a right to demand that the Monroe doctrine shall be respected for these continents. The formal adoption of the doctrine by all America would make it international law, while at the same time, the congress could make it a basis for joint opposition to European aggression on this side of the Atlantic."

Reward for Kentucky Outlaw.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 2.—Governor Bradley has issued a proclamation offering \$500 for the conviction of any or all the parties participating in the burning of Mrs. T. J. West and the murder of N. A. Devers of Marion county.

Russia Granted Petroleum Monopoly.

London, Jan. 2.—The Constantinople correspondent of the Times hears that an trade has been issued for the grant of the petroleum monopoly to the Russian company, but no confirmation of the report is obtainable.

THE MEN WHO WILL
GO TO VENEZUELAPRESIDENT CLEVELAND NAMES
THE COMMISSION.

Justices Brewer and Alvey, Andrew D. White, Frederick Couderd and D. C. Gilman Are Chosen to Determine the Disputed Boundary Line and Report to Congress.

Washington, Jan. 2.—President Cleveland last night announced the appointment of the Venezuelan boundary commission as follows:

David J. Brewer of Kansas, Justice of the United States Supreme Court; Richard H. Alvey of Maryland, Chief Justice of the Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia; Andrew D. White of New York, Frederick R. Couderd of New York, and Daniel C. Gilman of Maryland.

The commission is regarded here as a very satisfactory one, whose opinions



ANDREW D. WHITE.

and conclusions will be received by the American public with that confidence which the standing of the members of the commission in the public eye inspires.

Justice Brewer is a Republican in politics and about fifty-eight years of age. He is a graduate of Yale and has spent considerable time in the practice of his profession in Kansas, where he filled a number of judicial offices. In 1884 he was appointed Circuit Court Judge of the United States for the Eighth District and was appointed Associate Justice of the Supreme Court in December, 1889, by President Harrison.

Richard H. Alvey is a Democrat in politics and a man of marked legal ability. It was the great reputation he gained as judge in the Maryland courts which led President Cleveland to appoint him to the position of chief justice of the court of appeals of the District of Columbia. He is about sixty years of age.

Andrew D. White is a Republican in politics. He is an author and historian and has been the president of Cornell university. Mr. White was appointed minister to Russia by President Harrison, and this position he held through that administration and for a year or more during Mr. Cleveland's administration.

Frederick R. Couderd is a Democrat and is one of the best known members of the bar in New York. Mr. Couderd was one of the counsel for the United States on the Behring sea commission, and in that capacity made one of the most eloquent and effective speeches delivered in behalf of the American contentions.

The last-named member of the commission, Daniel C. Gilman, president of John S. Hopkins university, is well known as an authority on international law, formerly president of the University of California, and was later called to take up the work of organizing of the university of which he is now the head. He is the author of a life of President Monroe. Mr. Gilman has never figured prominently in politics. At the White House it is stated that he has no politics, but his proclivities are understood to be republican. Thus the two great parties are equally represented on the commission, with the fifth member having no outspoken politics.

All of the above-named persons will accept the places to which they have been appointed and are expected to assemble in Washington as soon as practicable to enter upon their work. The appointments are made in compliance with a resolution of congress passed at the request of President Cleveland, and the work of the commissioners will be to examine and collect evidence with a view to determining the true divisional line between Venezuela and British Guiana. The conclusions reached will be reported to the president for his information, in connection with any further representations and communications that may be made by this government to Great Britain with regard to the boundary line dispute between the latter country and Venezuela.

May Not Receive Salaries.

Washington, Jan. 2.—A six-line paragraph in the laws of 1894 may cause the President embarrassment in paying salaries to two of the men he has selected as members of the Venezuelan commission. His attention has been called to the fact that the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation act of 1894 contained a clause which prohibited the appointment of any person holding an office under the government, receiving a salary of \$2,500 per annum or more, to any other office to which compensation is attached. Despite this fact the President has offered places on this

commission to Chief Justice Alvey of the District of Columbia Court of Appeals, and Justice Brewer of the Supreme Court. It may be that the gentlemen in question would be willing to transfer their labors from their present positions to that of the Venezuelan commission without extra pay, provided they were made liberal allowances for expenses meantime.

FARMERS STIRRED UP.

Threaten to Hang a Rent Collector, and Defy the Authorities.

Sioux City, Iowa, Jan. 2.—M. A. Wiley of Castana, a little town south of here, is threatening to call in the militia to assist in the eviction of tenants from farms in Monona county. He talks of doing this as a result of resistance met with by a deputy sheriff in attempting to serve a writ on a tenant in Jordan township. Mr. Wiley has been very active in the collection of rents of tenants in the township and Tuesday sent the deputy to take the property of H. Smith to satisfy his lease. The deputy was met by a mob of fifty persons, the leader of whom had a rope. He ordered the deputy to leave the premises within thirty minutes or he would be hanged. The deputy left at once. Mr. Wiley was hanged in effigy and excitement runs very high in the neighborhood. Several evictions already made are said to have resulted in the "stripping of the tenants to destitution." Wiley, who is cashier of the Castana saving bank, and City Marshal Spencer of Castana have been arrested on a charge of a conspiracy to rob one of them named McCall. The farmers say if the militia are called out they are able to deal with them too.

CRIPPLE CREEK EXCITED.

Hundreds of Claims Jumped—Miners Arming for Protection.

Cripple Creek, Col., Jan. 2.—Fourteen hundred claims were jumped just after the hour of midnight Tuesday night. There have been rumors afloat all day as to shooting scrapes and killings in the hills. Only a few of the men who went out on the claim jumping tour have returned, and, owing to the heavy snow on the mountains, probably will not do so until tomorrow morning. A number of owners are still camping on their claims with shotgun guards and will remain there until after all danger is over.

A number of armed men passed through Victor yesterday to enter the hills, and there are fresh rumors of fatalities over claim jumping, but it is impossible to ascertain whether the reports are correct or not.

Iowa Colleges Shut Out.

Des Moines, Iowa, Jan. 2.—The committee on classification of colleges made its report to the college section of the State Teachers' association yesterday, and after a bitter debate of four hours the report was adopted and the smaller colleges of the state shut out from recognition by the state association. The list of colleges now eligible to membership in the section now stands: State University, Iowa Wesleyan University, Parsons, Coe, Upper Iowa University, Drake University, Cornell, Penn. Tabor, Iowa, Simpson and Des Moines. A resolution was adopted favoring the establishment of a state historical museum.

Five Men Badly Burned.

Shamokin, Pa., Jan. 2.—Five men were badly burned, three of them probably fatally, by an explosion of gas in the Girard mine Tuesday night. Those who are likely to die from their burns are: Joseph Encowski, laborer; Samuel McDungel, miner; Michael Yundea, miner. Seriously injured: Evan Jenkins, foreman; Alexander Law, superintendent. Law and Jenkins were burned about the face, arms and body, but will recover. The bodies of the three first named present a horrible appearance. The flesh was so terribly roasted that it dropped from their arms and faces. The explosion was caused by a lamp igniting the gas.

Illinois Miners to Reduce Wages.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 2.—At a delegate meeting of the miners of the Springfield sub-district yesterday it was decided to reduce the rate of mining coal from 40 cents to 35 cents. The union takes this step in order to fight successfully the cutting of rates by the non-union men and the competition among operators. They declare their intention of forcing the non-union men to make common cause with them.

Will Meet in St. Louis Jan. 19.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 2.—Joseph R. Manley, secretary of the Republican national committee, will meet in this city Jan. 19 with the subcommittee to make arrangements for the convention. Mr. Manley is chairman of the subcommittee on convention arrangements, the other members being ex-Congressman Campbell of Chicago, General Clarkson of Iowa, General Powell Clayton of Arkansas, and R. C. Kerens of St. Louis.

Another Strike Threatened.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 2.—At an early hour yesterday morning the situation of affairs in the street railway trouble was very grave. The employees were then in executive session with their leaders and it is evident from the appearance of things that a second strike could easily be precipitated. Differences can only be adjusted if the 200 imported motormen and conductors are put at the foot of the "extra" list and the old men given their former runs.

STEAMERS TO
IN A BIG BOILERAWFUL FATE OF A MAN AT
MAYVILLE.

He And a Companion Were Cleaning Out the Battery When the Engineer, Who Did Not Know They Were There, Turned On the Steam.

Mayville, Jan. 2, [Special].—Charles Clifford and an unknown man were cleaning battery boilers in the Mayville blast furnace this morning when the engineer turned on the steam not knowing they were in the boiler. Their cries were heard and when taken out the skin peeled from their bodies. Clifford was a terrible sight and is dead. The unknown man may recover.

BANKERS ARE READY.

Powerful Syndicate Organized to Take United States Bonds.

New York, Jan. 2.—All doubt as to the organization of a powerful syndicate of bankers, under the leadership and management of J. Pierpont Morgan, to control and handle the new issue of government bonds contemplated by President Cleveland has been removed by the developments of the past twenty-four hours.

While the contract has not yet been signed by the President, the subscription list, which was being circulated Tuesday, has received the signatures of bankers all over the country. The prospective profit of this deal to the members of the syndicate, even if only \$100,000,000 in bonds are issued, is placed at \$11,750,000, as against \$3,415,757, which represents the profits of the deal of February last to those who handled the \$25,000,000 bond issue.

The price which the syndicate will pay for the bonds is said to be 105%, the present market price being 117%. If the President signs the contract the syndicate is now ready to go to work at once and turn in the first installment of gold to the treasury.

Held Up a Sheriff.

Ellisville, Miss., Jan. 2.—Tuesday night when Sheriff B. E. Deval was leaving his office three masked men covered him with revolvers and told him to give up his life or his money; that they preferred the money, and demanded that he open the safe. The sheriff gave them the keys; they opened the safe and took about \$8,000 belonging to the county. The robbers tied the sheriff securely and when they left locked the office door behind them. It was several hours after the robbery before a member of the sheriff's family went in search of him and found him locked in his office, the key being left in the door. No clew.

Switchman Was at Fault.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 2.—M. R. Fleming, one of the operators of the block-system in the terminal railway tunnel, is blamed for the rear-end collision that Tuesday night caused one death and came near resulting in many more. The rules of the company permit but one east-bound or one west-bound train to enter the tunnel. Fleming admitted before Superintendent Dunlap that he was to blame for allowing two trains in the tunnel at the same time on the same track. He was suspended immediately after the wreck occurred, and will probably be brought before the coroner's jury, which will investigate the wreck to-day.

Would Triumph Against All Europe.

London, Jan. 2.—Frederick Harrison, the well-known critic and reviewer, lecturing in London last evening, said that the Venezuelan crisis presented a real danger and would leave formidable problems unsolved. The Monroe doctrine expressed a policy which all that was wise in English opinion must desire to prevail. A most striking fact, he said, was the absolute isolation of England. In the event of war the United States must suffer in the first instance, but in the end would raise such a fleet and army that she would eventually be triumphant against Europe.

Turkish Army Reserves Called Out.

Constantinople, Jan. 2.—The army reserves at Mesch, Sardis, Alesherd and Bitlis have been called out. According to a dispatch from Orfah, Asiatic Turkey, there were fresh outbreaks there Saturday and Sunday.

In reply to the demand of United States Minister Terrell, the Turkish Government has ordered the Vail of Aleppo to furnish an escort to Miss Shattuck and three native teachers from Orfah to Aintab. Mr. Terrell has received information which shows that all the missionaries in Anatolia are in safety.

Fast Mail Train Wrecked.

Jackson, Miss., Jan. 2.—The Chicago fast mail train No. 1, on the Illinois Central, south bound, struck a mule two miles from Holly Springs, Miss., Thursday morning, derailing the engine, baggage and mail cars and three coaches. The two Pullman sleepers did not leave the track. The fireman was fatally injured. It cannot be learned whether any of the passengers were injured, as the railroad officials here are reticent, and will give out no information.

We wish you all a Happy New Year.

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CECIL RHODES.

ish force has created a decided sensation here.

In discussing the invasion of the Transvaal by Dr. Jameson and the forces of the British South Africa Company, all the newspapers here declare that his action constitutes a serious and unjustifiable breach of the peace, against which Germany must protest.

The Kölnische Zeitung states that Germany has addressed an official inquiry to England as to the steps the English government intended to take to restore the status quo in the Transvaal.

The National Zeitung remarks that German interests demand the maintenance of the independence of the South African republic, and it expects that the government will vigorously defend and come to President Kruger's aid in case of necessity. The Vossische Zeitung says: "The action of Dr. Jameson cannot be tolerated. It is the duty of the German government to immediately take energetic steps to protect endangered German interests and at the same time those of our kinsmen, the Boers. It is impossible to protest too strongly against this act of violence upon the part of Great Britain."

The Hague, Jan. 2.—The minister of the Transvaal republic left here yesterday for Berlin in order, it is believed, to make strong representations to the German government on the subject of the invasion of the Transvaal republic by the forces of the British South Africa company.

London, Jan. 2.—A dispatch from The Hague to the Times says that the Rotterdam Courant regards Dr. Jameson's action in the Transvaal as a most flagrant example of British arrogance. It admits that Holland can do nothing for the Boers, and fears that England will seize the opportunity to wipe out the stain of the Majuba hill incident. It also expresses the hope that Germany will come to the rescue.

The Berlin correspondent of the Times says: "The crisis is clearly endangering the Anglo-German relations. Public opinion is excited and anxious, and without doubt the government will interfere because relations have usually arisen between the Transvaal and Germany which have assumed, in public mind, almost the shape of a moral protectorate by Germany in the Transvaal."

London, Jan. 2.—The Globe rumor has reached London that Dr. Jameson has arrived at Johannesburg.

The news from Pretoria, Transvaal republic, tends to confirm the story of the situation there growing out of the invasion of the Boer territory by an armed force of the British South Africa Company, numbering 700 men, with Maxim guns, led by Dr. Jameson, the British commissioner, who was successful in his operations at Lobengula. The Transvaal President Kruger, has called upon the Boers to defend their country. A conflict is anticipated, in fact that the colonial secretary, Chamberlain, has telegraphed Jameson to withdraw his force and has urged Pretoria to do his utmost to prevent the invasion.

The newspapers continue to lengthen upon this fresh invasion of the British government. They recognize the fact that the invasion of the Transvaal republic by the British South Africa Company is a serious and unjustifiable breach of the peace, against which Germany must protest.

DEGUN.

The leap year party given at the armory by the N.O. W. club last evening was one of the social events of the season. The ladies "did the whole thing," from escorting the gentlemen to the dressing room, to managing the floor. Smith's orchestra furnished inspiring music and no arrangement had been neglected that would add to the pleasure of the affair. The floor committee was composed of Mesdames—O. B. Bernard, L. V. Paul, W. J. Hemming, W. A. Rosow and F. H. Kobelin. Among those present were:

Messrs. and Mesdames—
C. B. Barnard, W. J. Hemming, E. D. Roberts, L. A. Hemmens, A. W. Knud, C. A. Thompson, F. J. Wians, T. Read, L. V. Paul, O. A. Stanton, A. C. Jenkins, E. C. Jackson, W. A. Rosow, F. C. Cohen, O. H. Brand, Mesdames—M. J. Cunningham, Chicago; Misses—Hattie George, Lottie Rathman, Dora Haviland, Thilo Stockman, Ruby Blanchard, Minnie King, Hattie Ferrin, Grace Lovejoy, Phemie Grant, Irene Malt, Hannah Wray, Emma Wandsor, Mary Kirk, Nellie Rathman, Josephine Hanky, Lena Kuipsohlid, Catherine Cantillon, Nellie Brooks, Alice Rathman, Mary Thompson, Mattie Koebin, Lulu Winkley, Katherine Michels, Milwaukee; Alice Randall, Grace Slightman, Louise Barnard, Emma Lam worthy, Anna Zamow, Lillie Knipsohlid, Galla Butler, Charlotte Pabst, Nellie Spicer, Maggie Denning, Agnes Springer, Hattie Pickering, Agnes Morrissey, Nellie Blakely.

Messrs.—G. H. Miller, H. B. Cody, W. A. Gramke, F. L. Jones, J. E. Inman, C. H. Hemmingway, W. M. Benedict, G. B. Randall, J. H. Murray, B. F. Cary, W. Yates, F. E. Green, G. A. Bauman, O. O. George, J. J. Cunningham, E. F. Skelly, A. J. Rehberg, W. B. Shields, J. Belkirk, Clinton, J. H. Coy, A. E. Wright, St. John Kobelin, J. R. Whiffen, E. H. Pickering, G. H. Robinson, F. Viney, F. Turnbaugh, Chicago; E. A. Whiffen, E. A. Abbott, G. H. Smith, F. G. Cook, B. L. Hayner, W. J. Baumann, W. M. Buob, E. C. Baumann, F. N. Blakely, A. G. Hodge, E. G. Hiney, E. C. Jones, A. N. Hatherall, Division No. 1. A. O. H. Ball. Division No. 1. A. O. H. gave a very enjoyable dancing party at the Armory Tuesday night, it being their annual ball. Smith's full orchestra furnished the music, and all who attended had a delightful time. The committees were as follows: Floor—John Crowley, Richard Dunn, J. Malone and J. Crowley. Reception—M. M. Fardy, J. W. Hogan and James O'Leary. Arrangements—John Heffernan, James Riley and John Gleason.

AT THE VARIOUS CHURCHES.
Watch Meetings and Holiday Observances Were the Rule.
At the Methodist churches, watch meetings were held. Dr. Halsey preached on "The Old and the New; or the Past, Present and Future."
The services began at 8 o'clock, and the sermon was delivered at 9. A consecration meeting was held at 11 o'clock. Rev. J. H. Lehr will begin the evangelical meetings at that church tonight.
At the First M. E. church Rev. R. K. Manion, of Shopley, preached; a love feast was held; refreshments

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were served, and a bible reading was conducted by Rev. F. A. Pease.
At St. John's Lutheran church exercises were held New Year's morning, and on Tuesday, evening Rev. G. Kaempfe conducted suitable exercises.

At St. Paul's Lutheran church services were also held yesterday morning, the Christmas trees having been re-lighted Tuesday evening.

The "dime social" at the Baptist church was an enjoyable affair. Light refreshments were served, and the following program was presented:
Song.....Y. M. C. A. Quartet
Recitation.....Mrs. Dr. H. E. Dickinson
Solo.....Mrs. and Mrs. W. G. Landis
Solo.....Baptist Society
Recitation.....W. G. Landis
Solo.....Miss Margaret Jones
Violin Solo.....Miss Mamie Hillbrandt
Song.....Y. M. C. A. Quartet

The teachers of the Baptist Sunday school joined in a union entertainment at the church parlors Tuesday evening, the classes of Misses Lizzie Morris, Elizabeth and Elsie Palmer, Mesdames H. Pennick and Lawrence and C. P. Beers being present. The program was followed by the stripping of a well-loaded tree, and the occasion was a pleasant one. The program was as follows:

Recitation.....Ida Stoddard
Song.....Ida Palmer
Recitation.....Maudie Rose
Piano Solo.....Della Millmore
Recitation.....Ida Lester
Recitation.....Ethel Wasgott
Solo.....Ethel Wood
Recitation.....Ethel Mills
Yesterday was open house at the Congregational parsonage, Rev. and Mrs. Wilder, assisted by Miss Wilder, of Eau Claire, receiving their friends from 2 until 5 o'clock in the afternoon, and 7 until 10 in the evening. Between these hours about two hundred embraced the opportunity of calling on the pastor and his estimable wife and wishing them a very happy New Year. Dainty refreshments were served to those calling. The house was open throughout, and all were loud in their expressions of congratulation to the Congregational church in possessing such a beautiful home for its pastor. On the mantel in the library is a silver plate bearing an inscription which states that the building is largely the result of the gift of two thousand dollars made toward its erection by Mrs. Laura Kendall, of this city.

THE CALEDONIANS CELEBRATE.
A Very interesting Social was Held On Tuesday Evening.

The Caledonians celebrated the coming of the new year at their rooms on Tuesday. An entertaining program was presented and cards and dancing followed until midnight. The programme for the entertainment was arranged as follows.

Solo—"The Cottage Where Burns Was Born"
Recitation—"Boy Billy"
Recitation—"Grandma's Mistake"
Solo—"In Romney Land"
Recitation—"The Courtier"
Piano Solo—"Mountain Echoes"
Recitation—"Prior to Miss Belle's Appearance"
Solo—"Greeting"
Recitation—"Just Before Christmas"
Solo—"Out on the Deep"
Recitation—"Boy Wanted"
Solo—"Mary of Arley"
Recitation—"Charcoal"
Solo—"Celeste"
Miss Daisy McLean then danced "The Highland Fling," and dancing and cards followed.

ENTERTAINED BY GEORGE SALE.
Pleasant Social Gathering at His Washington Street Home.

George Sale entertained a party of friends in a very pleasant manner Tuesday evening. The affair was in honor of Mr. Sale's guest, E. H. Johnson, of Watertown, who is attending the State University. Card playing and other social amusements marked the going of the old year, and the guests all had a jolly time. Those present were:

Messrs.—W. A. Jackson, N. F. Cowles, G. M. Smith, G. H. Sale, E. H. Johnson, Water, A. J. Harris, A. J. Thompson, Beloit; J. C. Wilmarth.
NEW YEAR'S DAY WEDDINGS.
Odell-Mulholland.

E. H. Odell, of the Milwaukee Sentinel editorial force, and Miss Anna E. Mulholland, also of the Cream City, were married by Rev. Dr. Sabin Halsey of Court Street, M. E. church, on New Year's morning. The groom is a well-known newspaper man, he having been attached to the Sentinel for several years. He wrote Dr. Halsey some days ago making an appointment for the wedding, and he and his bride took the first train for Janesville after The Sentinel went to press yesterday morning. Mr. Odell's last work as a single man, was the exhaustive resume of the season's business in Milwaukee, the article being the feature of the New Year's edition.

Holmquist-Anderson.
The hearts of Fred A. Holmquist, a Rockford bookkeeper, and Miss Ellen Anderson, one of the Forest City's fair daughters, have been beating as one for some time past. Accordingly they decided to begin the new year by getting married, and came to Janes-

ville for the purpose. Rev. Dr. Halsey of Court Street Methodist church performed the ceremony yesterday, and Mr. and Mrs. Holmquist returned to Rockford immediately thereafter.

Wilson-Channing.
Miss Eleanor A. Channing and Franklin W. Wilson, both of White-water, were united in marriage yesterday by Rev. A. Porter of the First Methodist church.

MINOR NEW YEAR EVENTS.
EARL COOK gave a party.
THE Y. M. C. A. kept open house.
MEMBERS of the shooting club shot.
F. M. MABLUFF gave a stag party.
drew a large crowd and was fully enjoyed.

Odd Fellow's Lodge No. 90 gave a social dance.

B. F. DUNWIDIE entertained his Sunday school class.

The illustrated lecture by R. J. Kennett at the Y. M. C. A. building.
Mr. and Mrs. Odgen H. Fethers entertained a few invited guests yesterday at their St. Lawrence Place home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cannon entertained a number of invited guests at their South Jackson street home New Year's eve.

MORRIS WINE entertained a few friends last evening at the South High street home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wine.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bostwick pleasantly entertained thirteen guests at a family gathering at their Milton avenue home New Year's day.

Miss ALICE EUGER entertained a number of friends last evening, at the South Bluff street home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Eger.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. received callers at the new building yesterday afternoon, and 221 young men availed themselves of the opportunity. The Y. M. C. A. band played and luncheon was served to seventy-two guests.

It was a joyous gathering that assembled at Society Hall New Year's Eve to watch the old year out. A Christmas tree was the attraction and all present were the recipients of some small but useful article, the cost of which did not exceed five cents.

Miss MARY KIRK pleasantly entertained a number of friends New Year's eve, at her home on Glen street, in honor of her friend, Miss Carrie Deming of Chicago. Light refreshments were served and the evening was spent in paying elench.

EASTERN STAR Lodge entertained in right royal style last evening at Masonic Hall. At 7 o'clock the degree was conferred upon four new members, after which a banquet was served, followed by a dance at the Woodmen's hall. Huyke's orchestra furnished excellent music.

Joyous indeed was the anniversary celebrated at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ray Tuesday evening. It was the fiftieth recurrence of their wedding day, they having been united in marriage in 1845. The celebration was in the nature of a family reunion and was a particularly happy occasion.

THE SLATE FOR THIS EVENING.
LEAP year party at the Armory.
MODERN Woodmen's dancing party.
Odd Fellows Social and Beneficial club.
Dr. O'LEARY's lecture at the Myers Grand.
EVANGELISTIC meeting at the Court Street M. E. church.

School Report.
JANESVILLE, Wis., DEC. 6, 1895—OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CITY OF JANESVILLE. TO THE HONORABLE THE MAYOR AND COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JANESVILLE: The Board of Education herewith submits its monthly report of accounts audited and orders drawn for the month of November, 1895:

Nov. 1, D. D. Mayne, salary.....	150 00
" Janitors' pay roll.....	329 75
" Charles Schwartz, drayage.....	27 85
" E. O. Kimberty, printing.....	7 00
" James Shearer, mason work.....	67 65
" C. G. McLean, carryall.....	5 00
" A. H. Sheldon & Co., supplies.....	19 23
" F. S. Winslow, supplies.....	1 10
" George E. King & Co., supplies.....	120 38
" New Gas Light Co., gas.....	1 44
" Henry Schumaker, brooms.....	5 00
" McVear Bros., plumbing.....	22 74
" John Cunningham, clerk's supplies and postage.....	63 75
" Wisconsin Telephone Co., use of telephones.....	6 00
" Thomas King, extra help.....	2 00
" New Gas Light Co., fixtures and hanging same.....	274 11
" Janesville Chair Co., chairs.....	36 41
" A. H. Sheldon & Co., repairs in gymnasium.....	182 60
" G. W. Crossman, laying walks at new High school.....	69 22
" James Shearer, mason work.....	130 23
" Edward D. Eaton, dedication expense.....	1 00
" W. A. Olmstead, new High school equipment.....	720 22
Nov. 2, teachers' salary.....	2,374 26
Total.....	\$4,591 53

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN CUNNINGHAM, Clerk.

Abbie Carrington.
The Milwaukee Sentinel in speaking of the opening of the Plymouth church lecture course, November 4, 1895, by the Abbie Carrington Concert company who are to appear at the Myers Grand January 13, said: Mmes. Carrington has not appeared in concert for several seasons, but is singing with her old-time power and sweetness.
A few years ago Mmes. Carrington was a familiar figure in the concert room and on the lyric stage. Since that time she has been in other parts of the country gaining fame and fortune. Her voice was undergone very little change since the period of her absence, and her reception last night was cordial.

TALK HEARD ABOUT THE TOWN

WHILE most of the ladies at the party last evening wore Brown Bros. & Lincoln's slippers they did not all have them on.

THE leap year party was a success, and no wonder, for the gentlemen bought their dancing slippers of Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

LOST—At the Armory Wednesday evening, a silver stick pin, in the form of a flag, with initials "M. N. S." Finder please leave at this office.

THE first annual dance of the Bower City Verein G. A. B. G. will be given in Concordia hall next Thursday. There will be installation of officers the same evening.

Snow for Wisconsin and our shoes for cold feet at Brown Bros. & Lincoln's. The indications for Wisconsin, snow, colder later on, shoes and rubbers at Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

THE Light Infantry will give the fourth of their series of dances at the Armory Tuesday evening, January 7. Smith's orchestra will furnish the music, and it will be a strictly private affair. A good time for those holding invitations.

Now Its The Five Cent Magazine.

On the first of January next, the magazine Romance, which has heretofore been devoted to fiction entirely, will undergo a complete change, and will be issued as a five-cent magazine, filled with illustrations of a popular kind. The magazine will be a considerable novelty, the idea being to emphasize the illustrated side of it rather than the text. There will be forty-eight pages containing not less than sixty illustrations, printed from the best of plates on the best of paper. There will be pictures of noted painters, of people of the day, of actors and actresses, of literary individuals at home. Scientific matters will be treated of, and amateur photography will be given a generous space. Altogether the design has met with a cordial reception wherever spoken of, and readers will be sure to profit by purchasing the early numbers, which will form a perfect little picture book of genuine, contemporary interest.

Mackinaw Mittens for 55 Cents.

They can't be beaten for the money. The regular 50 cent quality of heavy Mackinaw mittens for 55 cents was never heard of before. They are easily worth double for a teamster. Frank H. Baack.

Notice to Creditors.

If any of our creditors want their money before we get it let them come to us and we will let them have shoes mighty cheap. We have more shoes than anything else. Brown Bros. & Link.

Shy.

We are a little shy and would like to turn our shoes into money, if you have a little money you can get lots of shoes and not be shy, for every one that trades with us always has money left. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

I Am Glad

To tell what Hood's Sarsaparilla has done for me. I had rheumatism in my legs and frequently I had to get up at night and walk to relax the muscles. I also had stomach trouble. I took Hood's Sarsaparilla, which has cured the rheumatism and helped my stomach trouble. Hood's Pills are the best I ever took. H. A. MELVIN, Sisters, Oregon. Remember Hood's Sarsaparilla Is the One True Blood Purifier. \$1. Hood's Pills easy to buy, easy to take, easy in effect. 15 cents.

Closing Out

—AT—
1-2 PRICE.

S. D. GRUBB, Clothier and Shoe Dealer, Grubb Block, W. Milwaukee St., is closing out his large new stock at one-half price.

\$20 Suits and Ulsters.....	\$10.00
\$15 Suits and Ulsters.....	7.50
\$10 Suits and Overcoats.....	5.00
\$5 Suits and Ulsters.....	2.50
\$6 Boys' Suits and Ulsters.....	3.00
\$3 Boys' Suits and Recfers.....	1.50
\$5 fine Wool Pants.....	2.50
\$1 fine Wool Pants.....	1.50
\$150 working Pants.....	.75c
\$7 Mackintoshes.....	3.50
\$2 duck lined Coats.....	1.00
\$2 Cardigan knit Jackets.....	1.00
\$1 Cardigan knit Jackets.....	.50c
\$1 wool Sweaters.....	.50c
\$1 wool Overhairs.....	.50c
\$1 Boys' wool Waists.....	.50c
\$2 stiff and soft Hats.....	.98c
\$1 silk plush Caps.....	.48c
\$1 fleeced Underwear.....	.50c
50c fleeced Underwear.....	.25c
\$1 white Dress Shirts.....	.50c
50c white Dress Shirts.....	.25c
20c fine linen collars.....	.10c
50c silk neckwear.....	.25c
50c silk suspenders.....	.25c
25c suspenders.....	.12c
25c black and tan Sox.....	.12c
15c black and tan Sox.....	.08c
25c linen handkerchiefs.....	.12c
10c linen handkerchiefs.....	.05c

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WE KEEP THE QUALITY UP

If Not is the Iron,
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The Big Store

extends its large trade-han to welcome you to the vast of bargains. A sumptuous repast has been prepared and the people are invited to call and partake.

MENU:

Fur Coats—
Every @ at cost.

Jackets—
At actual st.

Long Coats—
Cost takes em.

Misses' and
Child's Garments—

An especially important moment to set from. Women who look into the future are bring in the children and bring these garments, knowing that it is economy do so. We are showing excellent styles at prices pared of all profits. You make no mistake in buying these Cloaks at present figures.

Many Women

wait until Jan. 1st before buying a garment. Prices start now and we are making them LOW; cost less than cost.

Shawls—

A good warm Shawl nothing can take its place. We have them and of everyone at prices that mean ACTUAL LOSS to us, but we would rather convert them to money than carry them over.

Dress Goods—

Nothing creates interest quicker than low prices when coupled to such Dress Goods values as we offer.
Think of good all-wool Serges, Henriettas, &c. at 29c—our price for 200 pieces.
The 36c lot includes unusually good things for the money.

The 64c gathering comprises high novelties, fine Serges, Henriettas, Silk and Wool creations that will interest you.

Silks—

You know how other stocks size up with ours. Present figures are LOW

I want to
Sell you
Groceries
And sell them
Awful cheap
For Cash!

Best Granulated (not China) Sugar per lb..... 35c
Best Breakfast Java Coffee, per lb..... 25c
Best Soaps, all kinds..... 4c
Best Patent Flour, per sack..... 35c
Best Spearhead and Climax Plug..... 40c
Good Plug Tobacco..... 20 and 35c
Best Smoking Tobacco..... 15c
Best Oat Meal per lb only..... 20c
All other Groceries at correspondingly low prices. I have the choicest line of NEW TEAS ever seen. With every pound of 40c or 50c tea I give an elegant Tea Cup and Saucer. Or one lb. of best Chocolates or Caramels, gratis. With every lb. of 25 or 30c Tea I give one lb. of fancy Mixed Candy, gratis. All teas sold by me can be tested at my Tea Counter. I invite all to call and take a cup of Tea any time, gratis, whether you buy or not.

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W. T. VanKirk,
(Regulator of Prices in Groceries.)

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ALL KINDS OF
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My interest in the EAGLE CIGAR BOX & LABEL CO., established 1884; to an energetic and capable road man this will be found the chance of a life-time.
MY ELEGANT NEW HOME. Has more modern improvements than any residence in city. No fair offer will be refused.
THE BEST UNIMPROVED BUSINESS LOTS in Janesville, opposite Court House Park.
TWO HOUSES on corner Linn and North streets. Will pay ten per cent on the investment.
L. R. TREAT.

Quaker Bread. Its Famous.

The Only genuine Quaker Bread in the city is for sale by
Hayner & Grubb,
J. H. Parker,
A. C. Munger,
Wm. B. Harvey,
Ed. Shattuck,
Made by PAUL GEHRKE.

WEATHER STRIP.

Don't purchase storm windows until you see the PAGAN BELT WEATHER STRIP. It is absolutely the best on the market; keeps out the wind and cold, dust, smoke and dirt. Good in summer as in winter. The door strips are the best of all and a perfect protection from the weather. Get my prices before you purchase.
GEO. BARRIAGE,
64 North Bluff street.

OUR PRICES FOR CASH

Best Patent Flour, 85c.
Choice Patent Flour, 80c.
Family Flour, 70c.
Good Table Syrup, 20c per gallon
7 bars of soap for 25c, 30 bars, \$1
Evaporated ring cut Apples, 3 pounds for 25c.
Good Raisins, 5c per lb.; 6 lbs. for 25c.
Best Norway and Holland Herring always on hand.
lbs. of best Lard, 25c.
A. LUTZ,
Cory St. & Washington Ave.

BARGAIN.

SALE.—My house, and four full lots on every street, just off Fourth ave. I will sell at very reasonable figure. A beautiful home for some one.
H. F. BLISS.
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THIS DAY IN HISTORY.

18—Titus Livius, Roman historian, died.
1823—John R. Broadhead, diplomat and author of a history of New York, born in Philadelphia, died 1873.
1861—Frederick William IV of Prussia died.
Accession of William I, the great Kaiser of Germany.
1876—Ex-Governor John H. Clifford of Massachusetts died, aged 67.
1879—Caleb Cushing, jurist and statesman, died in Newburyport, Mass., born 1800.
1888—Jedediah Parker, war governor of New Jersey, died at Trenton; born 1807.
1891—Alexander William Kinglake, author of "History of the Crimean War," died in London; born 1802. Kinglake practiced law and made literature his diversion. He accompanied the army to the Crimea in order to gather data for his history.
1894—Colonel Floyd Clarkson, a prominent G. A. R. veteran, died in New York city; born 1831.

THE TIME IS RIFE.

There is a strong desire among the South American republics for an alliance with the United States. As to the expediency of such an alliance here can be no serious question and the time is ripe for a vigorous movement to bring it about. Several of the South American republics have already indicated their desire and readiness to enter into such an arrangement and there is reason to believe that others will be found willing to do so, although it is to be expected that European influence, financial and commercial will be exerted most earnestly to prevent it. In all these republics large amounts of European capital are invested in railroads, banks and other enterprises and these financial interests will, of course, be opposed to an alliance of the Latin-American republics with the United States, for they will understand that it would inevitably lead to closer commercial relations between those countries and this. It is conceivable, however, that with the other American republics the question of security against possible European aggressions would override every other consideration.

At any rate it is obviously the duty and the interest of the United States to use every proper effort to effect such an alliance and it should, of course, take the initiative. With all the American republics united in support of the Monroe doctrine it would make little difference whether or not European nations recognized that doctrine as a principle of international law.

THE NOISY PATRIOT.

It doesn't look well for people who had a record for disloyalty and copperheadism during the war for the preservation of the union to stigmatize men as traitors who went through the fiery ordeal in defense of their country because they do not flout their patriotism from the house tops. When the test of true loyalty and patriotism really does come, should there such a calamity befall the nation, those who are shouting loudest will be found hiring substitutes or valiantly shooting ink pots from a safe distance.

January brings its cash disbursements by corporations and borrowers and the result is a fresh flow of dollars into the channels of trade. January, too, brings its shelf-clearing sales. The two conditions will give especial point to the advertising of the next fortnight. There will be dividends in the advertisements for those who shall read them attentively and profit by the opportunities they will offer.

Whatever the country needs, republicans are ready to do, without regard to party advantage. They refuse, however, to be whipped in line for democratic schemes when the need does not exist.

If democrats will show some way to raise revenue besides increasing the tariff republicans will be glad to let the Wilson law alone until a complete and consistent measure can be drafted.

South Carolina invested \$285,000 in "red liquor" last year and cleared up \$210,000 profit.

This won't be as tame a session of congress as was promised.

The Devil's Auction.

The costumes in the Chas. H. Yale's "Newest" Devil's auction this season will prove a revelation. They are from plates designed by Mr. Thos. McIlvaine, an artist of international reputation in this line, and are considered among his greatest endeavors. The designing and combination of colors are allowed to be the most effective and penetrating and will certainly call forth no end of exclamations from the expectant audiences.

Outing Flannels.

Just a little wet on the end of piece, now going at 4 cents a yard. Bert, Bailey & Co.

Political Scientists Adjourn.
Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 2.—Yesterday was the last day of the session of the political scientists of the central states. A new collection of college men read papers and spent the day in discussing questions pertinent to the general subjects that have occupied the attentions of the educators and theorists since the opening day. The association adjourned to meet in Nashville next year with the American Economic Association.

DANGER AHEAD

A Simple Case of Piles. The Forerunner of Incurable, Fatal Rectal Diseases.

A NEW PILE CURE

Which Cures Every Form of Piles Without Pain or Inconvenience.

The ordinary case of piles is one of the commonest afflictions of humanity. While they are extremely annoying, yet men and women will endure them for months and years, off and on, because they are not immediately fatal, and as long as they can get around and perform the daily duties of life they suffer on in the hope that in some way or other the trouble will pass away of its own accord, without any other treatment than a little salve or ointment occasionally. Now in the very nature of the disease this will never happen.

It is absolutely certain to grow worse passing away for a time and returning, until before you are aware of it, an ulcer has formed and the beginning of the much dreaded fistula has been made and then, what was at first a simple case of common, everyday piles becomes an even chance between life and death. A surgical operation, with all its attendant horrors, uncertainties and danger to life, becomes necessary.

Although the Pyramid Pile Cure is just as valuable in the advanced stages of rectal disease, yet the time to use it is at the beginning. A single package will then effect a complete cure in nearly every instance, in fact two or three applications often do the work. The Pyramid Pile Cure is well known to be a certain cure for Piles in every form, but we take pleasure in publishing the experiences of sufferers, especially when such commendation is entirely unsought by us.

Mr. H. H. Hoffman, of Huntington, W. Va., writes:
I have used your Pyramid Pile Cure and consider it a perfect remedy for Piles. If you want an agent write me your terms and I can do some good work for you as everybody here knows how badly I suffered and they also know I am now entirely cured.

From Mrs. S. E. Deitzler, Union Deposit, Pa.: Please accept thanks for your Pyramid Pile cure. It has done me such great good in so short a time and at so little expense.

From Mrs. Nancy W. Shaw, La Crosse, Wis.: I am more than pleased with the benefit I have received from the Pyramid Pile Cure. I needed but one package. I shall write you again soon.

From R. Witherell, Shoreham, Vt.: The package of Pyramid Pile Cure I received last November has entirely cured me of itching piles. I have tried various remedies for over forty years. I shall always keep a package of this splendid remedy on hand. There are others I think would be glad to try it, when I can see them and tell them what it has done for me. Accept my heartfelt thanks.

Letters like these are daily received by the Pyramid Pile Co. of Albion, Mich., who manufacture this remedy. It is sold by druggists everywhere at 50 cents and \$1.00, and every druggist has a good word to say for it as they know better than anyone else the satisfaction it always gives to their customers.

A pamphlet on cause and cure of piles sent free by addressing Pyramid Co., Albion, Mich.

Every - Evening

From now on in 1895 we will be open to show you a few nice....

Holiday Presents

For Gentlemen.

Silk, Cotton and Wool Mufflers; Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs (initials).

Plush and Wool Caps; Lined and Unlined Gloves and Mittens in Undressed Kid.

Handsome Night Robes; Finest Underwear; Collars and Cuffs; Link Buttons, Pins and Studs and a beautiful line of

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Four-in-Hands. Club House and Bowls.

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KNEFF & ALLEN

Fred Feltz,

"The Tailor,"

has in stock a choice

selection of....

Imported and

Domestic Woolens.

The latest novelties for

the best trade at moderate

prices. They will not

be made like ready-made

clothing without hair-

cloth and pure lining.

SUITS made to order, \$14 to \$35.

OVERCOATS, \$14 to \$30.

PANTS, \$3.50 to \$10.

Good fit and the finest workman ship guaranteed.

CALL AND SEE THE GOODS.

Fred Feltz,

21 Corn Exchange,

HARD TIMES' PRICES
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Reduced prices are the rule in every line of business. Job Printing is no exception and the following schedule of prices went into effect in THE GAZETTE Job Room, Jan. 1. The prices quoted are for first class stock and the best of printing;

PER THOUSAND.		PER THOUSAND.	
Envelopes, XXX white wove, full government.....	\$1.75	Letter Heads, Best Puritan linen.....	3.00
Statements, Size 5½x8½, first-class stock.....	1.75	Note Heads, Best Puritan linen.....	2.00
Bill Heads, Sixth-sheet size.....	1.75	Business Cards, In first-class 4-ply Bristol board...	2.00
Bill Heads, Quarter-sheet size.....	2.00	Special Lot of No. 6½ white wove full government Envelopes, a little light for regular commercial pur- poses.....	1.00
Bill Heads, Third-sheet size.....	2.25	Special Lot of No. 11, high-cut, XX Maila Envelopes, suitable for mailing documents and papers....	1.75
Bill Heads, Half-sheet size.....	2.75		

OTHER WORK AT PROPORTIONATE PRICES.

THE GAZETTE JOB ROOM IS EQUIPPED FOR ALL CLASSES OF PRINTING.

Commercial Work,
Book Work,
Dodgers,

Catalogue Work,
Posters,
Color Printing,

SPECIAL FACILITIES FOR TURNING OUT

HANDSOME INVITATIONS, CALLING CARDS, ETC., ETC.

Figures given on lithographing and steel embossing. Business men usually buy where they get the best prices. We are trying to prove that Janesville is the place when printing is concerned.

GAZETTE PRINTING CO.

Bit Off Mor'ne We Could Chaw!

We Did.

Overbought! * * * Overloaded!

If you don't believe it take a look
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MONEY WANTED

Now we want money and to get it we're going to let Shoes slide.

Money-Saving Prices.

Men's fine Calf Goodyear welts,	\$3.00	Childs' large size "Common Sense,"	1 25
\$3.50 and \$4.00 lines go at.....		Oil Grain School Shoes.....	
Men's fine Satin Calf,	2.00	Ladies' hand-turned, Regular \$3.50 good.....	3 00
\$2.50 Shoes sell now at.....		Ladies' hand welts. Old \$3.50 line.....	3.00
Men's Satin Calf, Regular \$2.00 Shoes, now.....	1.50	Ladies' extra-fine Dongola Equal to any \$3.00.....	2.50
Boy's Fine Satin Calf, Go at.....	1.50	Ladies' fine Dongola, Sell everywhere at..... now.....	2.00
Boys' Goodyear Shoes, Go at.....	1.25	Ladies Dongola, all styles Good wearers, go at.....	1.50
Childs' "Common Sense," Oil Grain School Shoes.....	1.00	100 prs of small sizes, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00 shoes go at..	.98

Largest stock of RUBBER GOODS in the County.

We guarantee Honest Prices.

BROWN BROS. & LINCOLN.

THE ICE WAS BLACK WITH THE SKATERS

OVER ONE THOUSAND PEOPLE ON THE ICE YESTERDAY.

Crowd Was the Largest Ever Seen and the Fun Lasted Until Midnight—Young Men Used the New Sails—Party Skated From Edgerton and Back.



It looked as if about every man, woman and child in Janesville had their skates on yesterday, and it is estimated that over a thousand people were on the ice above the railroad bridge. The frozen surface of the river was black with people who glided about, and dodged the active small boy with his always about "shiny club." It was the largest crowd of the season, and all seemed to enjoy the sport fully. The crowd began to arrive early in the morning, and newcomers took the places of those who left all day long. Jolly laughter came echoing through the frosty air until midnight, the full moon making the evening sport the most enjoyable of the day. Many people went as far up as the Four Mile bridge. The ice seemed to be as strong and was as smooth as glass. Today's snowfall will interfere with the sport to some extent, but not enough to amount to anything.

Some went "a' sailing" But all of them did not confine themselves to skating. Arthur Valentine, Morgan D. Wise, Seeman Peterson, Frank W. Kimball, Alie Wheeler and Bernard Palmer "went a sailing." They had sails so arranged that the wind did the work and cruised about to their heart's content. They could run before the wind at a speed that would shame a railroad train, but on the return trip they were compelled to "tack" the same as a sail boat. The sails were the first used in the city, and they attracted a great deal of attention.

Five young men from Edgerton walked from that city to the river, put on their skates, and came all the way to Janesville on the ice. After "circulating" with the Janesville people for a while, they turned about and started for home. Skating has never been more popular in Janesville than it is this season, and the weather of late has been perfect for the sport.

HELD A JOINT INSTALLATION

Wisconsin Lodge No. 141, O. O. F. Celebrated the New Year

A joint installation was the feature of the New Years celebration at the lodge room of Wisconsin Lodge No. 141, O. O. F. Supper was served at 6 o'clock and dancing occupied the time of the evening. Tuckwood's orchestra furnishing the inspiration. The Odd Fellows installed were:

N. G.—J. R. VanNamee.
V. G.—E. C. Burdick.
R. S.—W. G. Metcalf.
P. S.—W. H. Grove.
Treasurer—J. F. Hutchinson.
W.—Charles Heath.
O.—W. E. Clinton.
I. G.—W. B. Stoddard.
R. S. N. G.—L. M. Nelson.
R. S. N. G.—Geo. Garlack.
R. S. V. G.—L. A. Babcock.
L. S. V. G.—F. E. Petrie.
R. S. S.—Charles Schwartz.
L. S. S.—W. L. Sherman.
Chap.—W. J. Cannon.
The Rebekahs who were officially clothed with authority were:
W. G.—Elizabeth Trumble.
V. G.—Beatrice Prellar.
Rec. Sec.—Olive Trumble.
Per. Sec.—Josie Hankey.
Treas.—Mrs. J. C. Stanton.
Warden—Mrs. G. Hillar.
Cond.—Mrs. Leslie Holmes.
P. W. G.—Mrs. H. B. Kenniston.
Chap.—Mrs. R. A. Angel.
I. G.—Mrs. G. A. Warren.
O. G.—Mrs. Volney Atwood.
Organist—Mrs. W. Tucker.
R. S. W. G.—Mrs. E. Stought.
L. S. W. G.—Mrs. B. T. Blanchard.
R. S. V. G.—Mrs. H. Polley.
L. S. V. G.—Ella Shanks.

AND THEY ALL SWORE OFF ON.

CRAPS.
HEARTS.
PENALTY.
SEVEN-UP.
PUNKLE.
FREEZE OUT.
POKER [stud].
POKER [draw].
POKER [whisky].
ALL kinds of games.
AND all other "speculations."
BECAUSE the police told them

A Good Freeze For \$6
We have got a good freeze for \$6.50 large collar doubled and lined with good heavy fur, don't go cold any longer we can keep warm for \$6.50. H. Baack.

You Know the Place
To buy the store that the service, heats the house and gives you fuel. Our stores are in the city, can make it an easy buy here. Lowell Hardware Co.

Keep Warm O'Nig
Save 25 cents by buying our Scotch flannel nightgowns. You can take as much for small price. They are light to the floor. Frank H. Baack.

TALK HEARD ABOUT THE TOWN

REMEMBER IT?
DIDN'T forget it?
WROTE it '95 didn't you?
DR. O'LEARY's lecture tonight
LEAP year party at the
tonight.

The Modern Woodman will be tonight.
AND the next day, as has been said before, it snowed.

W. E. CLINTON & Co. are now connected by telephone No. 229.

TURKISH bath for ladies \$5 call day Fridays. Hotel Myers Bat

Low prices count for much are making things lively at The Bore.

MISS BLANCHE HYDE has given her position as soprano at Souls church.

WARM shoes and slippers, kinds at lowest prices. A. Richard Shoe Company.

DR. GIBSON successfully pinned a difficult surgical operation on yesterday.

J. M. BOSTWICK & Sons' holding out inducements that are arresting late buyers.

JAMES SLIGHTAM and friend, of Madison, ate their New Year's dinner at the Grand.

STATEMENTS \$1.75 a thousand at Gazette job rooms. Quasheet bill heads \$2 a thousand.

PRINTED envelopes, grove, full government, XXX, \$1.75 a thousand. Gazette job ro

REV. J. H. LEHR is in a series of revival meetings at Court Street Methodist church th

KEEP comfortable you can do it if you have a pair of A. Richardson Shoe Co's shoes on.

YOUNG Circle #3, Golden Band, meet in Odd Fellows hall, West Milwaukee street, th

CLARENCE L. O'K will probably locate in Chicago, the representative of a New York firm.

WALTER D. VERNER was taken to Waupun prison yesterday, where he will serve a year for forgery.

The Old Fellows' social and benefit club will be tonight, being the first Thursday of the month.

A VERY little money buy a good jacket or cap, our genuine one-half price sale, Bais & Co.

THE new year starts in with a bluster and a bit of unkindness, the fact that "bl" are dangerous these days.

I HAVE the very fine guitars left; they are going for very little money, and the stock won't last long. H. F. Nott.

A YOUNG lady arrive New Year's day to brighten the later avenue home of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Crane.

EDWIN PETER has returned to his home in Milwaukee, after spending the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. John Felter.

A SHIPMENT of eleven heavy draft horses left for the upper Michigan, being shipped by H. Clark, of this city.

EVERY one buying of our new rich cut glass picks for \$88 will get a box of Japan tooth picks free at Wheelers.

DON'T forget to give a nicely framed picture for an eight day clock. Only five. They are going fast H. F.

CALLON Ball & Co. for fresh brown bread, doughnuts, fruit cake and all baked goods, sold by the Woman's Exchange.

WHAVE a pair of box calf shoes left for gentlemen. You ought to have one; just the thing for this weather. Richardson Shoe Company.

PRICES on smoke and water-damaged goods are going down all the time. The market must go and we make the most of purchasers. Bort, Baily & Co.

MR. and Mrs. Albert House of Milwaukee will move to this city having sold one of the Waverly Ave. houses is a conductor on the Northwestern road.

TOMORROW evening will occur the last day lesson and social of the first term but the lessons will be continued half term longer and those wishing join can leave their names with H. Williams tomorrow evening.

YET not help but find something in the goods mentioned in our advertisement that will be of service to you sooner or later. Every article of the lot is a bargain. Ladies cannot afford to miss the opportunity we offer them. Bort, Baily & Co.

WHEAT is very low just now, and we have taken the opportunity to make a special sale of flour for cash, this week. The Washburn Crosby's Gold Medal at 85 cents, and Hard-to-Beat at 75 cents. This is your chance to get a fancy flour at a very low price. C. A. Sanborn & Co.

THE wheat market is advancing slowly but surely, which has caused flour to advance 10 cents per barrel, and we are looking for further advance in the near future. Don't forget that the 85 cent and 75 cent prices we are making on Gold Medal and Hard-to-Beat flour ends Saturday night. Now don't be kicking yourself if you don't get a supply. C. A. Sanborn & Co.

OF all the vehicles that carried guests to the N. O. W. club party last evening, none were more noticeable than a "tandem" that came down Milwaukee street drawing Thompson's grocery wagon. The occupants of the carriage were Miss Emma Langworthy, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Spooner, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Fish, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Thompson and M. C. Fish.

GOOD SHOWING FOR W. A. JACKSON

MUNICIPAL COURT BUSINESS FOR THE PAST YEAR

Percentage of Convictions Is Larger Than Heretofore—Nearly a Hundred More Cases Passed Upon—Fifteen Defendants Convicted of Felony—Coal Thief Sentenced.

The record of the year in the municipal court makes a good showing for District Attorney Jackson, the figures being as follows:

1894—	Whole number of cases.....	227
	Number of convictions.....	150
	Number of non-convictions.....	77
	Cases pending.....	4
1895—	Whole number of cases.....	319
	Number of convictions.....	238
	Number of non-convictions.....	78
	Cases pending.....	3

Fifteen defendants, in the past year, were convicted of felony and sent to Waupun. There were ninety-two more cases in '95 than in '94.

Gustave Schumacher was before Judge Phelps this afternoon, he being charged with stealing coal from the Chicago & Northwestern railroad company. He pleaded guilty to the charge, and with tears in his eyes, told the court that he had to steal to keep his family warm as he had no money to buy fuel. Judge Phelps fined him \$1 and costs, and as Schumacher had no money, he went to jail for two days.

THE WHIST CLUB IS ORGANIZED Officers Were Chosen and Plans Perfected Yesterday Morning.

The Janesville Whist club was organized at the former rooms of the Janesville Business Men's association yesterday morning, officers being elected as follows:

President—George M. McKey.
Secretary—Albert L. Kavaledge.
Treasurer—Albert Schaller.

The initiation fee was placed at \$1, and the dues at 50 cents a month. The room rules of the Business Men's association were adopted as the rules of the organization. Business meetings will be held on the call of the president, and the club designated Friday evenings as the regular night for duplicate whist. The officers were made a purchasing committee, and the organization at once took possession of the rooms.

It was decided to invite to join any gentlemen who belong to any of the following whist clubs: the old East Side, the Junior East Side, the I. M. C., the Hizzon and the First Ward Duplicate. The first meeting will be tomorrow evening, at the former rooms of the Business Men.

NEW MILEAGE BOOKS UNPOPULAR Traveling Men Cannot Alter Their Whiskers or General Appearance.

The new iron-clad description mileage books are now in use on both the Northwestern and St. Paul roads and they do not seem to meet the approval of the traveling public.

"The new form of book doesn't give a man the least kind of a show," remarked a local traveling man. "If a man buys one of the descriptive books, while he is wearing his winter whiskers, he will be compelled to keep them on until the book is used up or there will be trouble when the conductor comes along."

SHARON VETERANS ARE READY They Want to Fight England and Will Form a Regiment.

Joseph P. Miller, adjutant of Post No. 270 G. A. R. of Sharon, has written to Colonel E. B. Gray of the adjutant general's department, offering to have 101 war veterans in fighting order in case of war with England. He wants Colonel Gray to take command of the troops and he has written to Governor Upham asking permission to form a regiment in Sharon to be prepared for hostilities.

Valuable Pointers.

We can give some very valuable pointers to young and newly married people who are going to keeping house. The Annex contains hundreds of things necessary to the beginning of house life. Crockery and dishes of all kinds at way down prices. Lowell's Annex.

Statements \$1.75 a Thousand.

Statements or sixth sheet bill heads \$1.75 a thousand.

Quarter sheet bill heads \$2 a thousand.

Letter heads \$3 a thousand.

Note heads \$2 a thousand.

GAZETTE JOB ROOM.

A Little Cold For Hats

But we have had a regular rush for those \$2 stiff hats, and we are almost giving our plush caps away. A good silk 75 cent plush for 50 cents. Frank H. Baack.

BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

THE Woman's History club will meet at the Art League's rooms Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

ARTICLES of incorporation for the Beloit City Band have been filed with Register of Deeds Rowe.

Lost—A black and white collie dog, answers to the name of "Trixie." Finder please same to J. J. Nelson, 158 Center avenue, and receive reward.

THE Mechanics Green case is still going on in the circuit court and will probably take a week longer. Evidence taken today was confined to the county records and nothing new was developed. Ex-Alderman C. P. Whitford of Beloit, was on the stand this afternoon.

THE FOLKS WHO COME AND GO

FRED SHALLER has returned to Racine.

MR. and Mrs. O. W. Ray have returned to Chicago.

P. TURNBAUGH of Chicago attended the N. O. W. party.

DAN DAVEY, now of Milwaukee, attended the A. O. H. party.

MISS MAE VESHER, of Whitewater, is visiting friends in the city.

EX-Congressman Clinton Babbitt of Beloit, was in the city today.

MRS. H. B. DELONG and son J. Glenn are home from Chicago.

MALACHI FISH left this morning on a business trip to Providence, R. I.

DR. G. G. CHITTENDEN has returned from a professional visit to Ahnapee.

JUSTICE W. R. PHILLIPS, of Evansville, transacted business in the city today.

ARTHUR LOVELAND, of Rockford, is visiting in the city, the guest of friends.

MR. and Mrs. James Gallagher of Mineral Point, attended the A. O. H. party.

JOHN HENDSON has been seriously ill at his home, corner Wall and Terrace streets.

Z. KIRSTER, after a four weeks' visit in the city, left today for his home in Indiana.

C. S. BERRYMAN of Madison, is visiting in the city, the guest of the Misses Hayward.

EMERY ODELL, city editor of the Monroe Daily Times attended the N. O. W. party.

WILLIAM GLENN returned to Chicago this afternoon.

MISS CALLA ANDERSON of Whitewater, is in the city, the guest of Miss Mayme Foster.

MRS. L. G. TAYLOR has returned home after a week's visit with relatives at Dubuque.

JOHN FISHER has returned to the State University after a short visit with his relatives.

W. A. BAACK, of Chicago, spent New Years in the city, the guest of his brother, F. H. Baack.

MISS MINNIE WANDERSEE of Dixon, Ill., is in the city the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Irwin.

MISS HATTIE SLIGHTAM and Blanche Jacquish have returned from a visit to Genoa, Ill.

MR. and Mrs. F. J. TUCKER of Chicago, spent New Years with Captain and Mrs. W. T. Vankirk.

THE Christ church cadets gave a skirmish drill in the Court House park yesterday afternoon.

MISS JENNIE and May Hodge and Marie Tollefson are spending a few days in Beloit with relatives.

MISS NETTIE WESENDON, of Edgerton, is visiting in the city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Shurtleff.

DR. C. A. MINER left on this morning's train for De Kalb, Ill., where he was called on an important case.

FRANK S. MANSON and Edward Bair, of Milwaukee, returned home today, after spending New Years with relatives.

MR. and Mrs. George Davis and son of Chicago, spent New Years in the city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Davis.

W. G. LANDIS left this morning for La Crosse where he will take charge of a large choir at a union revival meeting.

MR. and Mrs. George S. Stuart of Baraboo, spent New Years in this city the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Shearer.

MRS. F. W. WHEELOCK has returned after a pleasant six weeks' visit in Minneapolis, where she was the guest of Miss Jessie Ziegler.

FRANK REYNOLDS will not return to Beloit college, but has been added to the office force at the Janesville Machine Company's plant.

ROBERT BROWN, after a pleasant visit in the city, has returned to Chicago where he is attending the Chicago Veterinary College.

FRANK R. PENDLETON, who is now located in the northern part of the state, spent New Years in the city with Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Gilkey.

ASSISTANT Division Superintendent William D. Cantillon of the Northwestern road, with an office at Milwaukee, spent New Years with relatives in this city.

O. E. GUERNSEY, a former Janesville resident, but now one of Dubuque's most prominent business men, spent New Years day in the city, the guest of his mother, Mrs. Sarah H. Guernsey. Mr. Guernsey left Janesville twenty-five years ago yesterday.

COAL

Our No. 2 Per ton \$6

All Other Sizes, " 7

Until Further Notice

We have a fine lot of oak chunks at \$4.75 per cord or two cords for \$9.00. Sawed two or three times.

JANESVILLE COAL COMPANY.

Freight and Baggage Line.

Piano Moving and special attention to at reasonable prices on short notice.

Office at Smith's drug store. Residence 202 Locust street. Piano boxes for sale. C. W. SCHWARTZ.

RICHARDSON LOSES THE "NOTE CASE."

PAY THE CLAIM, INTEREST AND COSTS.

Justice Richardson Announced His Decision Today, But As Other Cases Depend On the Outcome of this One, and the Aggregate Is Large, An Appeal Will Doubtless Be taken.

Justice Richardson today decided the suit growing out of the Walden & Palmer failure, in favor of the plaintiff.

The case was that of Palmer & Stevens against Alexander Richardson, and was a test, there being several other claims of a similar nature. Mr. Richardson, it was set forth, canvassed for funds for the defunct firm, and gave his personal assurance that the money would be repaid. The firms interested in the action did not get their money, and the suit followed. About ten witnesses were sworn, and the trial was finished some days ago, but the decision was not announced until today.

Justice Richardson finds that the plaintiff is entitled to the face of the note in question—\$100, \$18 interest, and about \$59 costs, all of which the defendant by this decision is obligated to pay. As there are other cases hanging on this one, and the aggregate amount is therefore quite large, the case will probably be appealed to the circuit court.

YOU SHOULD INSURE WITH THE COVENANT Mutual Life Association.



BECAUSE—You realize the full value of the cost, and in the event of death or lapse, no excessive amounts are forfeited to the corporation.

BECAUSE—You participate in the savings and profits after the third year; therefore, the longer you pay the greater benefit you derive.

BECAUSE—Its policies are the best, the simplest and the cheapest.

Every desirable form of policy written at rates much less than Old-Line charges.

Good local solicitors wanted in Rock, Green and Walworth counties.

C. E. BOWLES, Dist. Agent. Over M. & M. Bank, Janesville, Wis.

Best Patent Flour

(QUALITY WARRANTED.)

Eighty Cents.

Second Patent Flour,

75 cents.

Family Flour, good quality,

70 cents.

Granulated Sugar, 20 lbs. for

One Dollar.

All kinds of spices whole or ground: pepper, allspice, cinnamon, cloves, ginger and mustard, per lb.,

15 cents.

Armour's Hams,

10 cents.

Armour's picnic hams,

71-2 cents.

Armour's pure lard,

8 cents.

25c pound box baking powder,

15 cents.

Good fine cut tobacco, per lb.,

20 cents.

Adams' Standard smoking tobacco,

20 cents.

Good smoking tobacco, per lb.,

15 cents.

Two pounds for

25 cents.

MYERS' OLD STAND,

7 South Main St.

Hot Water Bags.

ALL SIZES, ALL PRICES

PALMER & BONESTEEL

DR. A. W. COOPER, DENTIST.

Suite 1211, 100 State Street, Chicago, Ill. Over Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co. Formerly with Dr. Thor. Judd. Appointments made by mail.

HOT BEEF TEA

5c.

Better than most places sell at 10 cents.

A large variety of Hot and Cold Drinks at our Soda Counter.

Fresh Cut Flowers and Designs.

SMITH'S PHARMACY.

The First National Bank

Business Established in 1855.

S. B. Smith, Pres.

L. B. Carle, Vice Pres.

John G. Rexford, Cashier.

His Inspiration.

Mrs. McSwat (at the front window)—How beautiful our lawn looks this evening in its mantle of snow. It's a poem!

Mr. McSwat—It is, my angel, and I swear it makes my heart feel light as air to see that little lawn to-night arrayed in robes of spotless white and think how many months must pass before I'll need to cut the grass with that loud, beastly lawn machine that—

Mrs. McSwat—Billiger, I think you're as mean as you can be!—Chicago Tribune.

Worked Too Well.

Agent—I have called, sir, to show you our new patent cash register which I am introducing—prevents all peculation, sir; makes it utterly impossible for any clerk to steal a cent.

Mr. Slowgo—Don't want 'em.

Agent—You don't?

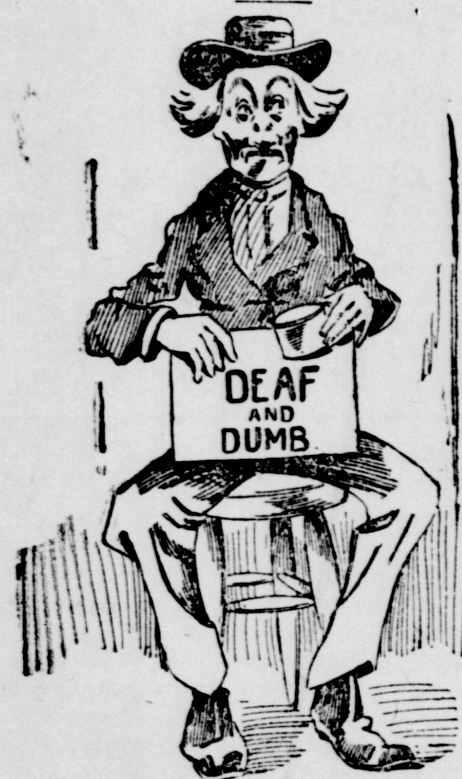
Mr. Slowgo—No, sir. My neighbor next door put in one of them things last Monday, and before night the hull force had struck for higher wages.—N. Y. Weekly.

Unchanged.

He married his old flame,
And finds she's yet the same,
For, as a woman will,
She flares up at him still.

—Bay City Chat.

SIMPLY IMPOSSIBLE.



"He could not tell a lie."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Political Maxim.

Remember in thy days of stress,
The fewer bosom friends you make,
When time brings fame and prominence,
The fewer friends you'll need to shake.

—Indianapolis Journal.

Prepared.

Mrs. Hobb—My husband came home last night and told me he was ruined. Do you know, I think I must have had a premonition of it.

Mrs. Nobb—Why?

Mrs. Hobb—It was only last week that I ordered a complete new wardrobe.—N. Y. World.

A Brilliant Success.

First Actor (on the Rialto)—Why, how do de, Buskin? Where have you been?

Second Actor—On a western tour.

First Actor—Was it a success?

Second Actor—Glorious! Immense! Brilliant success! Why, sir, we came back by rail.—N. Y. Weekly.

A Superfluous Question.

Plugwrench—So you've come to answer my advertisement for a janitor, eh? Are you married?

Applicant—Yes, sir.

Plugwrench—Any innumbrance?

Applicant—No, sir. I tell you I was married.—Bay City Chat.

Great Work.

First Doctor—Your practice must be increasing enormously.

Second Doctor—What makes you think so?

First Doctor—I hear the death rate in your district never was so high.—Town Topics.

De Witt's Little Early Risers for biliousness, indigestion, constipation. A small pill, a sure cure. C. D. Stevens.

Reduced Rates to Atlanta.

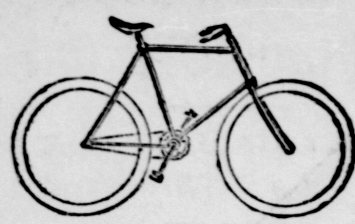
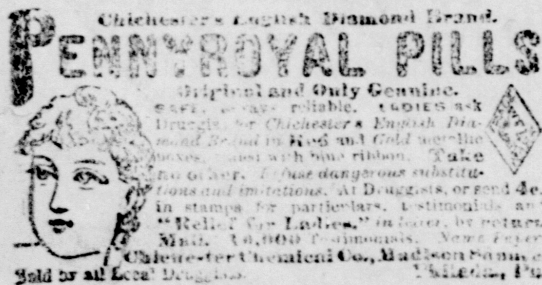
On account of the Cotton States and International Exposition at Atlanta, Ga., the Northwestern line is now selling excursion tickets at reduced rates. For tickets and full information apply to agents, Chicago & Northwestern R'y.

Wife—Here's an account of a man who shot himself rather than suffer the pangs of indigestion. Husband—The fool! Why didn't he take De Witt's Little Early Risers? I used to suffer as bad as he did before I commenced taking those little pills. C. D. Stevens.

If the baby is Cutting Teeth, be sure and use that old and well-tried remedy, Dr. Winstow's Soothing Syrup for children. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

One Minute Cough Cure is rightly named. It affords instant relief from suffering when afflicted with a severe cough or cold. It acts on the throat, bronchial tubes and lungs and never fails to give immediate relief. C. D. Stevens.

An Enigmatical Bill of Fare, For a dinner served on the dining cars of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway will be sent to any address on receipt of a two cent postage stamp. Apply to George H. Beafford, General Passenger Agent, Old Colony Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

Giving Away
\$100 Wheels

to get you to buy our goods. We want to sell our Diamond Java and Mocha Coffee or AaAa Coffee, our Perfection Baking Powder or Unrivalled Baking Powder to every family in this town—and we're going to, because of their excellence and because to win your trade we are offering \$100 High Grade 1896 Bicycles or \$50 cash premiums to purchasers of our goods.

Buy a package of any of the above at your grocers' and learn about our fair and simple prize puzzle.

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We cater to the wants of our patrons. Aim to have the best goods we can buy, and are offering them at ROCK-BOTTOM PRICES. Buying and selling choice country produce we make a specialty. Fine Teas and Coffees, full line of Canned and Bottled Goods. Examine our stock and get our prices. Goods promptly delivered.

	Our Price.	Others' Price
Currants per lb.....	5c	per lb 10c
Raisins per lb.....	5c	per lb 10c
Dried Peaches per lb.....	5c	per lb 10c
Canned Corn per can.....	5c	per can 10c
Soap per bar.....	3c	per bar 5c
Tea per lb.....	50c	per lb 60c
Oat meal, the best, lb.....	3c	per lb 5c
Rice per lb.....	5c	per lb 8c
Crackers per lb.....	5c	per lb 7c
Allspices, per 1/4 lb.....	10c	per 1/4 lb 12-15c
Cottolene per lb.....	7c	per lb 10c
Cotosuet per lb.....	7c	per lb 10c
Vegetole per lb.....	7c	per lb 10c
Fancy Christmas candies per lb.....	8c	per lb 15c
Syrup per gal.....	30c	per gal 50c
Corn Meal per sack.....	15c	per sack 20c
Total.....	\$1.70	2.55

A. C. MUNGER,

No. 20 North Main street.

WHO MINDS THE WIND

IF WARMLY ATTIRED?

But there are several kinds of warm attire. We have them

"STALEY'S WESTERN MADE"
WOOL UNDERWEAR & OVERSHIRTS

A. G. STALEY MFG. CO.
FACTORY SOUTH BEND — IND.

Next comes the overcoat in which the same requirements prevail. It must be warm and pliable, without becoming burdensome. Even our heaviest ulsters

Are As Soft
As Lamb's Wool.

They are all Adler's make and are going fast now at ruinous prices.

How To Save \$3.

We have four pea jackets and vests left, 34, 35 and 36. If you are one of these sizes, you can get \$10 worth for \$7. A clean saving of \$3.

FRANK H. BAACK.



"WHERE DIRT GATHERS, WASTE RULES."
GREAT SAVING RESULTS FROM THE USE OF

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A SMASH AT THE ANNEX!

TO clear up Holiday stock preparatory to invoicing, will mark all the remaining Holiday goods

Toy
Books,
Fan Articles,

hundreds of them at COST. Your chance of a life-time to get things cheap. We take the aforesaid inventory in a few days, so if you want anything in these lines

Visit The Annex Soon.

Remember they go fast. Lowell's word for cheap prices. You know what that means.

LOWELL'S ANNEX.

KEELEY
CURE.

To the Public:

Some so called Institutes for the cure of drunkenness, are spreading reports calculated to deceive the public and which are to the effect that branches of the genuine Keeley Institute are established in various parts of the state. We are also informed that agents of some of these institutions are doing business by making misleading statements. For the protection of the people of Wisconsin we desire to announce that we employ no agents whatever and are responsible only for patients treated at our Ripon, Wis. and Waukesha, Wis. Institutes. We point with pride to the fact that out of 275,000 patients so far treated by the genuine Keeley Method used by us, not one case has gone wrong. We challenge the world to bring up a patient who has taken the Keeley Cure at any of our Institutes and has been killed or even injured as has been the case with patients of some other institutes. Our method is endorsed by the U. S. Government and eminent men all over the United States. Beware of fake institutes. For further particulars address

A. W. ROBINSON,
State Manager.
For Keeley Institutes at Ripon and Waukesha, Wis.

IT'S SURE TO COME!

Law is only temporary. We are bound to more snow and more sleighing. Winter just started, a good long seige of cold may yet be expected. We have sold matters thus far and are preparing to sell more as soon as proper weather comes.

Cut cheaper than ever

5 to 10 cent less than they have ever been sold before. This is our plan.

January 1st, 1896--

we will sell goods for cash or on short time well secured. In this way we can afford to sell at a small margin. Its better for the stock at better for us. Don't buy a cutter until you see us.

D. MORRISON,
Successor Transfer & Implement Co.

CLOAKS--

AT A PRICE.

MUFFS--

FREE.

And the largest stock of to-date garments in the state to select from.

IT IS NOT WISE

To buy a Cloak elsewhere. We say it -- You should know it in and see



Busy Jennie June.

"Jennie June" Croly is now nearly 64 years old, but she is not out of active life by a long shot, as the women who tried to prevent her election as president of the New York State Federation of Women's Clubs found out recently. Her



MISS JENNIE CUNNINGHAM CROLY.

friends re-elected her by a big majority. Mrs. Croly has been a worker in journalism for 40 years. She was a pioneer in the business and was the originator of the duplicate correspondence system which has been enlarged into the great syndicates that exist today. She was born in England, but came to this country with her father when she was 9 years old. She married the city editor of the New York Herald.

Yale's Course in Novel Reading.

In establishing a course of novel reading conservative old Yale has made a unique and radical departure. Dr. William Lyon Phelps, the youngest professor in the college, has been appointed to



DR. WILLIAM LYON PHELPS.

bring the sons of Eli up to date in the matter of modern fiction. He has a class of 258 and will take up 30 novels during the course. Only the works of living writers will be considered, with two exceptions, for Stevenson's "Treasure Island" and one of the Russian Turgeneff's novels will be read. The students are required to write reviews of the books from the standpoint of a critic. The course is very popular.

His Salary Is \$40,000 a Year.

Forty thousand dollars a year is said to be the salary of Charles M. Hays, who was recently appointed general manager of the Grand Trunk railway. A United States senator receives but



CHARLES M. HAYS.

one-eighth this sum, and the president gets but \$10,000 a year more. Charles M. Hays is only 39 years of age and is a native of Rock Island, Ills. He was born May 16, 1856, and in 22 years has risen from a humble clerkship in the passenger department of the Atlantic and Pacific railroad in St. Louis to his present eminence in the transportation business.

He Is Great on Corners.

When Anthony Nicholas Brady was 14 years old, he started in business as cashier in a barber shop and now his check is good for millions. He has all



ANTHONY N. BRADY.

his life been on the lookout for a chance to corner something, and he has often succeeded. When a tea merchant in Albany, he started out to corner tea, and did it. Then he got a corner on granite and made enough money to form a company that secured control of the gas manufacturing in several cities. Now he is interested in a street railway trust and his fortune is growing rapidly. He is a power in Wall street.

Wide Sheetings.

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By the Court,
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An ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled

"An ordinance to prevent disorderly practices."

The mayor and common council of the city of Janesville do ordain as follows:

Section 1. See "An ordinance entitled

"An ordinance to prevent disorderly practices," is hereby amended, and to read as follows:

"Section 1. No person shall keep or use within the limits of the city of Janesville any article or device used for gambling purposes and induce or permit any person to gamble, bet or play for gain with or by means of the same, nor shall any person gamble, bet or play for money or gain with or by means of any article or device used for gambling purposes."

Section 2. Section 5 of said ordinance is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 5. No person shall disturb the peace or good order of the city by making any unnecessary noise or disturbance; nor shall any person conduct himself in any disorderly manner within the limits of said city."

Section 3. This ordinance shall be in force and take effect from and after its passage and publication, which publication shall be for three successive days.

Approved.

Passed Dec. 30, 1895.

A. E. BADGER, Mayor.

F. S. BAINES, City Clerk.

CIRCUIT COURT, Rock County.

George T. Spaulding, plaintiff, vs. E. Gahagan, defendant.

The State of Wisconsin to said Defendant. You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid, and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint, of which a copy is herewith served upon you.

DUNWIDDIE & WHEELER,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

Janesville, Rock Co. Wis. wed oct 23 drw

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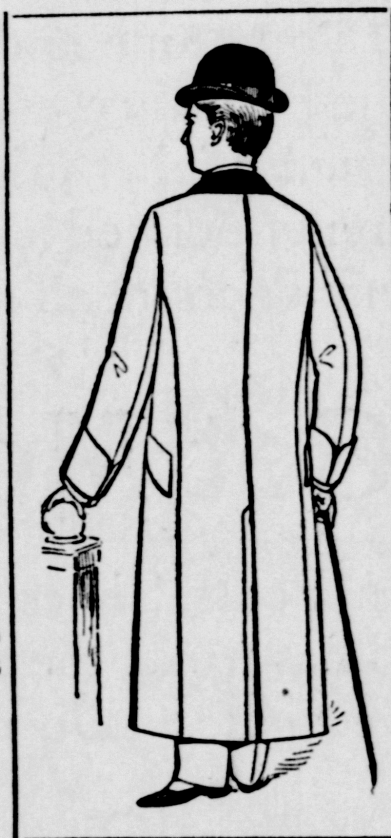
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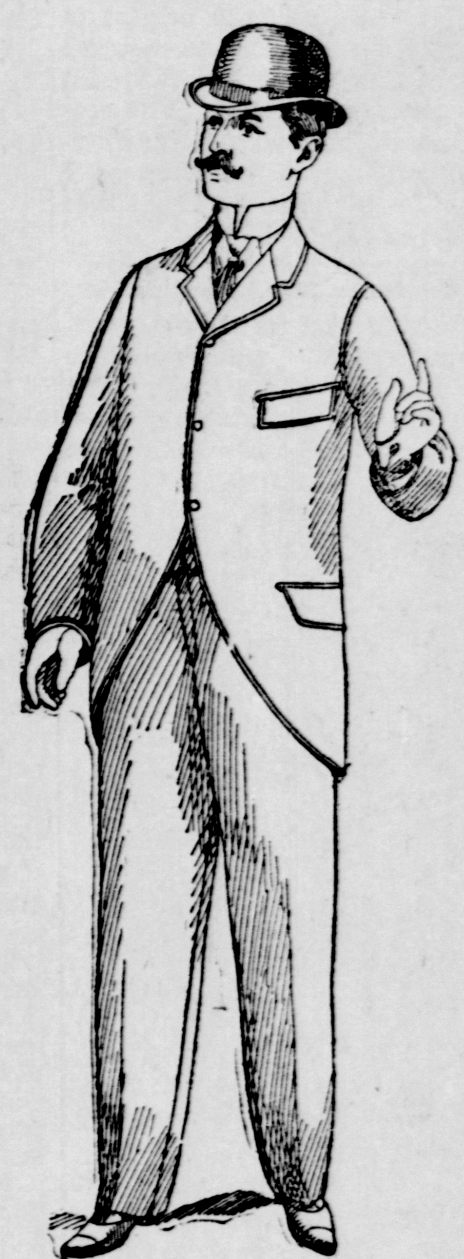
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